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**IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor(s): Samuel Naffziger

Confirmation No.: 3388

Application No.: 10/071,072

Examiner: C.S. McCarthy

Filing Date: Feb. 8, 2002

Group Art Unit: 2113

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING YIELD BY DECOMMISSIONING  
OPTIONAL UNITS ON A CPU DUE TO MANUFACTURING DEFECTS

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Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

(X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
( ) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
(X) No additional fee  
(X) Other: Return Post Card (fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_)

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TOTAL CLAIMS	9	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO AUGUST 31, 2005 FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of the final office action dated August 31, 2005. In response thereto Applicant respectfully proposes amendments to the claims as follows, and submits the remarks that follow.

IN THE CLAIMS section begins on Page 2 of this response.

REMARK section begins on Page 5 of this response.